

From: Mason, Steve
To: [Assunto, Carmen](#); [Adams, Adam](#)
Cc: [Bokun, Lisa](#); [Taheri, Diane](#); [Smith, Monica](#); [Smalley, Bryant](#); [Balandran, Olivia-R](#)
Subject: RE: DRAFT Statement ??
Date: Monday, March 18, 2019 8:28:00 AM

Still works for me

With Regards, Steve



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"Frequently, my thoughts get bored and walk down to my mouth. Often, this is a bad thing."

From: Assunto, Carmen
Sent: Monday, March 18, 2019 8:25 AM
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How about this?

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EPA isn't part of UC??

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 18, 2019, at 7:58 AM, Mason, Steve <mason.steve@epa.gov> wrote:

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From: Assunto, Carmen

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Sincerely,

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